

OLD HEATH COMMUNITY PRIMARY SCHOOL



THE FRIDAY FLYER

Friday 24th October 2025

A VERY HAPPY HALF-TERM TO EVERYONE!!

Wishing you all a very happy half term! We finished the half term with the OHSa Disco ~ thank you so much to all the parents and school staff who helped at this brilliant, energetically noisy dance fest!! Great costumes, a few scary faces but lots of great fun! Thank you to Kerri & Nicola as OHSa Co-Chairs for organising! I have added a few photos later in this newsletter!

I have been asked by St Georges School to help publicise their Firework Laser Show. We will receive a £1 contribution for each ticket bought by Old Heath families.

There are also photos for the Y6 BikeAbility and Y5 Archery.

School reopens for children on Tuesday 4th November. Please remember that school starts at 8.50am, we still have quite a few families coming in after 8.50am. Don't forget to book school dinners!

I hope everyone has a lovely half term break and we all stay well and healthy!

OHSa FUTURE EVENTS

Fri 5th Dec: NON UNIFORM FOR XMAS
RAFFLE

Fri 12th Dec: 'ELFRIDGES' DAY

Fri 13th Feb: UV DISCO

Thu 7th May: NON UNIFORM FOR
COLOUR RUN RAFFLE

Fri 22nd May: COLOUR RUN DAY

Fri 3rd June: SUMMER FAYRE

A very BIG THANK YOU to all those parents, grandparents and other family friends and relatives who come to help at our fundraising events and all of you who come to 'splash the cash' that helps our school to have all the little extras (or not so little in some cases!)

PROSPECTIVE EARLY YEARS PARENT TOURS FOR PLACES IN SEPT 2026

Essex County Council's application window for Reception/Early Years places for Sept 2026 opens on 10th November 2025 and closes on 15th January 2026. The system does not work on a first come first served basis, so as long as your application is in by the 15th January then your preferences will be acknowledged in the same way as those registered on the 15th November. Our school tours are booked on the following days:

Wed 5th November 9.45am

Tue 11th November 9.45am

Mon 17th November 9.45am

Mon 24th November 2pm

Wed 3rd December 2pm

Wed 7th January 2pm

Our tours involve a walk around of the whole school, visiting classrooms whilst our children are learning ~ they do love to welcome new faces in to our school! We have spaces for six sets of prospective parents/child. We are a bit limited on space for buggies/pushchairs walking around the school.

**NEW
FOR
2025**

Friends
of St George's



LASER SPECTACULAR

FRIDAY 7TH NOVEMBER

5PM TIL 8PM

Woodlands school field, Barrington Road CO2 7RW



**SCAN
HERE TO
BUY
TICKETS**

**• FOOD VENDORS • FAIRGROUND
RIDES • ENTERTAINMENT**

FUN FOR ALL THE FAMILY



YEAR 6 BIKEABILITY

18 Y6 children took up the challenge of the Level 2 BikeAbility 2 day course this half term and passed with flying colours!

With many thanks to the instructors from Essex's RoadSafety BikeAbility Team: Arin, Naomi and David!





YEAR 5 ARCHERY
Congratulations and thank you to Louie, Joshua, Arabella and Xianna, who represented Old Heath at the Colchester Blackwater Sports Partnership Archery Festival.





HALLOWEEN 2025